(*c*) In the year 1101.

(*d*) To follow the British Rules.

(*e*) No.

(*f*) No.

(*g*) The question does not arise.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu (*Kunnamkulam*): May I know whether these payments are not for half-yearly?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): No. Brake certificates half-yearly, and G. permit annual.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu (*Kunnamkulam*): Do the Government know that the Government of Madras have reduced these rates?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): No.

Mr. C. V. Iyyu (*Kunnamkulam*): Will the Government be pleased to enquire the present rates there, and reduce it at that rate?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*): Yes.

P. X. AUGUSTINE—SUICIDE OF.

25. Mr. A. V. Moothedan (*Chalakkudi*): Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether their attention has been drawn to a report in the 'Deepam' dated 14th Thulam 1114, regarding the suicide of one P. X. Augustine of Azhikkal;

(*b*) was any letter found in the dead body of the man;

(*c*) if so, what was the contents of that letter;

(*d*) has he not stated in his letter that he was committing suicide because the burden of debt was too heavy for him to bear?

Rao Sahib M. Narayana Menon (*Commissioner of Police*):

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) A copy of the letter is appended. (*Appendix IV*).

(*d*) Yes.

ITINERATING WORK—NALLEPPILLI.

26. Mr. N. V. Subbarayan Chettiar (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether it is a fact that a sum of Rs. 500 was asked to be provided for as per Order L. Dis. 13008/12 dated 7th April 1937 for starting itinerating work at Nalleppilli;

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(*b*) if so, whether the sum has been properly spent?

Dr. D. Raghavendra Rao (*Chief Medical Officer*): (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) For want of funds it has not been possible to make the provision.

HARBOUR WORKS—TIMBER—SUPPLY OF.

27. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar (*Nellayi*): Will the Government be pleased to state the quantity of timber supplied to the Harbour by the Forest Department during the last two years and the amount realised by the sale of the same?

Mr. T. Narayana Menon (*Conservator of Forests*): No timber has been supplied to the Harbour from the Forest Department during the years 1112 & 1113.

BILLS—EDUCATION DEPARTMENT—AUDIT OF.

28. Mr. K. R. Viswambharan (*Ezhuvas-Talappalli*): Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the number of abstract and contingent bills cashed by the Director of Public Instruction from the Trichur Treasury on the last working day of 1112 M. E.;

(*b*) when were these bills received by the Comptroller of Finance and Accounts in his office for purpose of auditing;

(*c*) when was the audit of these particular bills begun; when was it completed;

(*d*) how many objection slips have been issued on these bills to the Director of Public Instruction; when were these slips issued?

Rama Varmha Tampuran (*Comptroller of Finance and Accounts*): (*a*) 9.

(*b*) On 3—1—1113 (with the cash chitta).

(*c*) and (*d*) Please see statement below.

Bill Nos.	*Amount of bills* Rs.	*Audit when begun.*	*Audit when completed.*	*Objection issue.*	*Date of issue of objection.*
2772	6 4 0	29—1—1113	29—1—1113	No objection	...
2815	5 0 0	19—1—1113	19—1—1113	do.	..
2816	19 12 0	do.	do.	do.	..
2822	5 0 0	do.	do.	do.	...
2823	2 6 0	29—1—1113	29—1—1113	do.	..
2824	20 1 9	do.	do.	Objection issued	12—2—1113
2825	0 5 6	19—1—1113	19—1—1113	do.	23—2—1113
2844	0 8 10	15—2—1113	15—2—1113	do.	15—2—1113
2833	89 8 0	1—3—1113	1—3—1113	Nil.	..

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